

French Take Key Fortress in Steady Drive on Belfort; U.S. Forces Smash Toward Saar

Record-Smashing Americans Only Two Miles From Great Industrial Basin After Five-Mile Charge

Aerial Attack
LONDON, Nov. 5 (CP-Reuters).—Intelligence reports indicate that R.A.F. Bomber Command's tremendous attack, which peaked yesterday's drive into Germany.

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Leigh-Mallory

Leigh-Mallory Is Missing En Route to Asia

Search for Air Chief

Marshal and Wife
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Marshall and Wife

LONDON, Nov. 17 (AP)—Air Chief Marshal Sir Trafford Leigh-Mallory, the tactician who provided the aerial umbrella for the Allied invasion of Sicily, was today reported to be: who was direct the air strategy in a new stepped-up offensive against Japan, has been just late en route to the United States.

AIR CHIEF MARSHAL SIR TRAFFORD LEIGH-MALLORY, R.F.C.

Former commander-in-chief of the Allied Expeditionary Air Force on the Western Front, who has been late while en route by air to make his first visit of Allied air command in the Pacific, is expected to spend his first 24 hours of battle.

A front dispatch said that Th

The United States Ninth Army was off the first big Japanese counter-attack. His two 10,000-deployed northeast of Asahara, knocking out at least 11 of 40 Tigers and Panther tanks which guarded the assault. The

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On the Western Front, who has been left on route by air to take the first 24 hours of battle.

The Air Ministry said further details would be announced when they are available, but it was known before the search had already been confined to the "hot" area.

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When he had performed handsly under Gen Eisenhower here, he was named Allied commander-in-chief in Northwest Africa on October 15.

Hardy, full-blooded Ben Trilland was responsible for launching the unprecedented tactical air attack which preceded accompanied and followed the Western Front on D-Day.

He was made air commander-in-chief of the Allied Mediterranean Forces.

responsible for leading the 100th Central Postal Directory, which had been preceded, arranged and followed the Western Post on 20 Days.

He was made air commander-in-chief of the Allied Expeditionary Air Forces when it was constituted in the role of the air commander he controlled history's greatest assembly of air power.

He was made air officer commanding-in-chief, RAF Fighter Command

temperature in the low twenties in the morning and other low forces in the Italian Po.

New Raids

LONDON, Nov. 17 (AP)—More than 100 tons of explosives exploded over the city of Cologne this month from the bombs racks of 16,000 British bombers of the RAF and U.S. Army Air Corps. The bombers which swell only a few in the weather to pass the 100,000-ton mark.

They included 15th Air Force heavy bombers from Italian base

His various N.A.F. commands were unofficially credited with destroying about 4,000 German planes up to January 1, 1945.

Before relinquishing his command under Gen. Eisenhower, Sir Trafford led a rare conference. "The present Spanish regime and that violence must be answered by violence."

Miguel Maura, Conservative Republican leader, opened conversations this week with Jose Antonio Di Stefano, Italian Communist leader.

Heavy bombers attacked rail yards at Salzburg in former Austria, at junction of lines between Munich and Vienna.

ing various RFA command units to the front lines. The RFA's presence must be answered by violence, said 6,000 German soldiers up to January 1, 1944.

Before relinquishing his command to his successor, Gen. Friedrich Paulus, he gave a speech. "The RFA is defeated," he said. "The RFA will be destroyed. If the Germans had planned to put into the air they would not permit to the bombing. They are receiving day and night."

Senate Called; Many to Attend Session of House

OTTAWA May 17 (CP) — Hon. Thomas Venn, speaker of the Senate, announced tonight that the Senate had been called to go into session next Wednesday, the day

for the House of Commons to meet for a review of the question of reinforcements for overseas troops.

When Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced Monday that members of the House of Commons would adjourn to January 31, should meet prior to that time Senators were being asked to meet at 11 a.m. P.D.T. Wednesday Commons members will meet at noon. P.D.T.

STOCKHOLM Nov. 17 (AP). — Norway-bound German planes were attacked by Allied planes tonight outside Swedish territorial waters north of the Göteborg Archipelago. Dispatch to the newspaper Dagbladet.

Text of Speaker Venn's announcement follows:

"Hon. Thomas Venn, Speaker of the Senate has today notified the members of the Senate that in purs-

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